

TAKOMA PARK SHOWN IN GOOD CONDITION

Receipts for Last Fiscal Year
Totalled \$18,558.91 While
Expenses Were \$17,435.93.

A general survey of town finances, made last night by the mayor and council of Takoma Park, showed the municipality in better shape than ever before, according to Town Clerk and Treasurer Ben G. Davis.

Mr. Davis submitted the report for fiscal year ended June 30. The receipts totaled \$18,558.91, and the disbursements, \$17,435.93, leaving a balance on hand of \$2,023.42.

Among the larger items of revenue were general taxes, \$9,031.52; special taxes, \$2,368.23; water and meter rents, \$1,567.45; and a road tax refund from Montgomery county of \$1,229.14. Included among the items of expense were expenditures on the pumping and filter plants of \$2,892.71, maintenance of the water system, \$3,125.74, sewer system, \$3,047.67; street work, \$1,837.65; street lighting, \$1,755.81; construction of cement sidewalks, \$259.20; general expenses, \$245.66; miscellaneous expenses, \$649.33; interest on bonded indebtedness, \$1,183.32; litigation bonds paid, \$3,040.00; and deposit to the credit of the sinking fund, \$1,000.

The bonded indebtedness of the town amounts to \$50,000, which is the unfunded portion of an issue of 4 per cent water and sewer thirty-year bonds. The bonded indebtedness was decreased by \$1,000 during the last fiscal year. There is no floating indebtedness.

The council has rejected all bids which were received as a result of advertising for macadamizing the streets of the town, constructing cobble gutters, and laying cement curbs. The council will advertise for these items. Concrete sidewalks will be included in the new advertising, as there seems to be a sentiment in favor of a more permanent form of street than the macadam. Contracts for the laying of sewers were awarded to J. W. Shadle, and for the laying of cement sidewalks to Harper and Voigt.

Lawson, Labor Leader, Is Given Life Sentence

TRINIDAD, Col., July 13.—John R. Lawson, labor leader, convicted of murder in connection with the strike disorders, was denied a new trial by Judge Granby Hillier in District court here.

Lawson was sentenced to spend the rest of his life at hard labor in the State penitentiary.

Lawson read a long statement, in which he maintained his innocence, charged that he had been made the victim of "a conspiracy of silence" and alleged that his trial had been a "travesty on justice."

Urges Official to Watch German Interned Ships

BOSTON, July 13.—"Watch the German interned ships in connection with the Holt incident. Guard the custom house tower—Yours truly, AN AMERICAN," was the text of a letter received by Collector of the Port Billings.

Funerals

Mrs. William H. Leimbach.
Funeral services for Mrs. William H. Leimbach will be held at the residence, 607 Sixth street southwest, at 2 o'clock tomorrow.

Mrs. Laura B. Gorham.
Funeral services were held for Mrs. Laura B. Gorham today at 12:30 o'clock at the funeral parlors of Hyson & Tarnette, 1014 Massachusetts avenue northwest. Interment was in Baltimore.

Mrs. Frank Hessler.
Funeral services for Mrs. Frank Hessler were held at the residence, 3338 N street northwest, today at 9 o'clock, thence to Holy Trinity Church. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Daniel A. O'Connor.
Funeral services for Daniel A. O'Connor were held at the residence, 312 Eleventh street, southeast, thence to Holy Comforter Church at 9 o'clock today. Interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Mrs. Samuel Solomon.
Funeral services for Mrs. Samuel Solomon were held at 10:30 o'clock today at the residence, 218 R street northwest. Private interment was in Glenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Daniel Trigg.
Funeral services for Mrs. Daniel Trigg, of Abingdon, Va., who died in New York, were held at St. Aloysius Church at 9 o'clock today. Interment will be in New York.

James H. Williams.
Funeral services for James H. Williams were held at the James chapel, Nineteenth and L streets northwest at 2 o'clock today.

LOCAL MENTION.

Phone Main 5260
And put your Want Ad in The Evening Times.

"Largest Credit Jewelers in the World"
**Low Prices, Easy Terms
For Our Vacation Sale**
You'll not have to break into your vacation funds to have some handsome piece of jewelry to wear while on your trip. Get our vacation terms.

**La Vallieres, \$3 up
Bracelet Watches, \$12 up
Diamond Rings, \$25 up**

That's all we'll ask you to pay weekly on any purchase amounting to \$25 or less, and \$25 has wonderful buying power in our store just now.

50c
Castelberg's, 935 Penna. Ave.

Concert Today

By the U. S. Engineer Band,
Logan Park, 7:30 p. m.

FRANK J. WEBER,
Chief Musician.

March, "On Dress Parade" Chambers
Overture, "The Fairy Lake" Auber
Selection, "Sari" Kallman
A Song for cornet, "I Hear You Calling Me" (requested), Marshall
Performed by Sergeant Hess, b. "Humoresque" (requested)
Dvorak
Excerpts from "Il Trovatore" Verdi
Waltz, "Jolly Fellows" Volstead
Medley, "Popular Songs" Stearns
One-step, "Al Jolson's Tennessee"
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

Concert Tomorrow

By the U. S. Soldiers' Home
Band, Bandstand, at 6:40
o'clock.

JOHN S. M. ZIMMERMANN,
Director.

March, "The New Ebbitt" Zimmermann
Overture, "Zampa" Herold
Morceau, "Andante Religioso" Thome
Selection, "Carmen" Bizet
"The Meadowbrook" Kraus
Philippine waltz, "La Tagala"
Safrenak
Idyl, "Roses and Memories" Snyder
Finale, "Follow the Crowd" Berlin
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

REAR ADMIRAL RAND DIES AT AGE OF 72

Veteran of Civil War and Popular
Figure in Service III for
Three Years.

Rear Admiral Stephen Rand, retired, died last night at his residence, 1725 Nineteenth street northwest, following an illness of three years.

He was seventy-two years of age, a veteran of the civil war, and long a resident of Washington. He leaves a wife and three children. He was born in Norwich, Vt. At the age of fifteen years he enlisted in a regiment of sharpshooters for service in the war, and left his studies at Dartmouth to serve his country. He returned to Dartmouth at the close of the war, and then entered the pay service of the navy and navy set here until his retirement in 1906 he was a well-known figure in all army and navy circles.

Consider Protest Against Exemption of Churches

The question of protesting against the exemption of churches from paying taxes will be discussed at an early meeting of the American Federation of Patriotic Societies.

The matter was brought up last night when John D. Bradley, president of the Patriotic League, suggested that a committee of the federation be appointed to lodge such a protest with the District Commissioners. No definite action was taken, and the decision on the matter was postponed until a larger meeting could be called.

Ex-Husband Remarried, She Wants Divorce Void

NEW YORK, July 14.—After congratulating him on his second marriage and wishing him luck, Wife No. 1 comes along four years later and tries to break up his home, according to Charles F. Kehoe, of New York and Pasadena, Cal.

Kehoe today filed an answer to the suit of Mrs. Kehoe No. 1 to have her divorce from Kehoe declared null and void. She alleged collusion.

Kehoe denied her charge. He said it would be unjust to reopen the divorce proceedings, as he has since married and has a child by his second wife.

90 Aeroplanes Shipped To Allies Since August

Ninety aeroplanes, valued at \$675,000, and aeroplane parts valued at \$445,000, have been shipped by American manufacturers to the allies since the war began, according to figures published by the Department of Commerce.

In May alone ten aeroplanes, valued at \$50,000 and parts valued at \$30,000 were shipped to Europe. Complete figures for June have not been given.

STRAND

TODAY

Jane Grey—Lionel Barrymore in
The Flaming Sword

GARDEN

TODAY

Edna Mayo—Bryant Washburn in
Blindness of Virtue

CAMPAIGN IS ON TO MAKE CAPITAL DRY

Movement Given Impetus by
Meeting at Metropolitan M.
E. Church.

The campaign to make Washington dry in 1916 is on in earnest today, following the impetus given the cause last night in the Metropolitan M. E. Church, where an immense audience gathered to hear Frank J. Hanley, former governor of Indiana, and other speakers.

The meeting set in motion a campaign that officers of the Washington Civic Association, under whose auspices the meeting was held, hope will be city wide. The plan is to organize auxiliary bodies, particularly church societies, as anti-saloon elements.

Former Governor Hanley declared that if the United States should enter the war, liquor traffic would prove a greater enemy than any European nation.

"I hear many appeals made today," he said, "for a faster navy, a larger army and more dreadnaughts to protect my country from the attack of an enemy. If the striking example of prohibition in Russia in the last six months is true, what greater preparation for the defense of this country could the American statesmen take than to declare the country dry?"

Miss Ann Gordon, of Chicago, president of the National W. C. T. U.; Andrew Wilson, president of the District Anti-Saloon League; R. D. Burbank, representing the Epworth League North; J. O. Tolbert, representing the Epworth League South, and Mrs. Emma Sanford Shelton, president of the District W. C. T. U., spoke.

William Knowles Cooper, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., was chairman, and the opening prayer was given by Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts. Music was furnished by the Epworth League Choir under the direction of Dr. L. N. Fouts.

Central Labor Union To Urge Commissioners To Ban "Near-Beer"

The District Commissioners soon will be visited by a committee from the Central Labor Union and urged to prohibit the sale of "near-beer" in lunch rooms, pool rooms and soda fountains.

A resolution declaring that the youth of the city is being endangered by the free sale of the beverage, which is said to contain alcohol and therefore leads to the use of alcoholic drinks, was unanimously passed by the Union last night.

The resolutions recite that the beverage is sold without restrictions or regulation. The declaration maintains that this condition is unfair to saloon licensees, and the Commissioners are asked to place the sale of the liquid under the jurisdiction of the Excise Board.

The committee to place the matter before the Commissioners includes Milton Snellings, W. W. Keeler, Hugh Diney, E. L. Tucker and J. L. Wacker.

The semi-annual election of officers of the Union resulted as follows: E. L. Tucker, president; John German, vice president; John B. Colpoys, secretary; J. E. Toone, financial secretary; Luke F. Ludlow, treasurer; sergeants-at-arms, Joseph W. Clark and Charles Callan; trustees, Conaldine and Charles Callan, trustees.

Reception Tonight in Mrs. Lockwood's Honor

Complimentary to Mrs. Mary A. Lockwood, one of the founders of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and for many years chairman of the national society, a reception will be held tonight from 7:30 to 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Saunders Johnston, Fifteenth and T streets northwest.

The occasion is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the publication of Mrs. Lockwood's article on Revolutionary heroines, which formed the basis of the organization of the D. A. R.

Members of organizations with which Mrs. Lockwood is affiliated, including the D. A. R., Pro Nata, Woman's Press Association, District Federation of Women's Clubs, Loyal Legion, and friends of Mrs. Lockwood are invited.

Indian Office Clerks to Have Indian Head Trip

Employees of the Indian Office of the Interior Department are to give an excursion down river as far as Indian Head on Saturday afternoon on the steamer Du Barry. This will be the first of a series of excursions by employees of the Interior Department Bureau who are members of the Home Club.

DOG BREAKS LEG; GOES TO HOSPITAL

"Hit Nibs," Cassius-Like Fox Terrier, Whines Till Put on Operating Table.

A dog with a mental development sufficient to guide him direct to a surgeon when he suffered a broken leg—this is what Shiley Hospital can boast among its patients today.

His Nibs is the name of the patient, a lean Cassius-like fox terrier who arrived at the hospital last night.

The dog attracted the attention of doctors by whining. He was suffering from a fracture of his left front leg.

Dr. Chase Taylor, with the assistance of other members of the staff, set the leg and placed it in a plaster cast.

His Nibs has been given a private compartment under a desk in the hospital office and according to the surgeons is doing "as well as can be expected."

"Wig-Wag" Stations to Feature G. A. R. Camp

George Carr Round, a veteran of the signal corps that transmitted messages in civil war days, is preparing plans for the establishment of signal stations from which messages of the olden days, of peace and good will and patriotic purpose, may be "wig-wagged" during the fiftieth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Mr. Carr has consulted with the authorities of the Capitol and the Treasury Department with a view to obtaining permission to install signal stations in those buildings during the days of the encampment. Other stations will be established on the sites of the old forts around Washington.

Spanish War "Vets" Will Celebrate Santiago Day

The District Department of the United Spanish War Veterans will celebrate "Santiago Day" with an excursion to Marshall Hall next Saturday. Chairman J. E. Wilson, of the general committee, announces that among the athletic events will be a ball game for the gateway cup, which has been held for three years by the Richard J. Harden camp.

The excursion will be participated in by the Washington Union Printers' Athletic Association.

To Close Children's Room Of Library on Sundays

The children's room of the central building of the Public Library will be closed on Sundays until October.

Library officials say the change has been necessitated by the increased use of the library and the consequent increased use of stationary. The closing of this one room, it is stated, will make possible a slight shift in expenditures to enable the institution to cope with the extra expense.

Archbishop Denies Asking Pope to Help

MILWAUKEE, July 13.—Archbishop Messmer stated today that he knew nothing of a reported appeal to Pope Benedict by American prelates to use his influence in keeping this country out of the war, and added that he had not any communication of any nature to the pope recently.

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that fragrance!
Taste that crisp
gingerness! Say
Zu Zu to your
grocer man!

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BISCUIT
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D. C. NAVAL BATTALION SURE IT WILL WIN

Makes Score of 24 Hits Out of
64 in Gunnery Contest
Against North Carolinians.

ABOARD U. S. S. KEARSARGE (off New York), July 13.—The District of Columbia Naval Battalion is confident its score, made yesterday, will win the naval prize for gunnery. The District battalion made a score of twenty-four hits out of sixty-four, as compared with that of the North Carolina battalion, announced at sixteen out of eighty.

Yesterday morning the ship steamed down the range at 5:30 a. m. At 5:45 the North Carolina gunners fired their first shot. From the first their shots went wide as compared with last year, when they won a decisive victory over the District marksmen. At 11:15 the North Carolina battalion finished, and the District battalion was given the signal to take their turn.

On the fighting ton to get the ranges and bring data for the gun crews was Lieutenant Hoefler, ordnance officer of the battalion. The first shot was fired by Lieutenant Thompson, commanding the first division District of Columbia Naval Militia. When Gun Pointer O'Meara fired the last shot, making the excellent score, there was wild excitement.

The previous day had been given over

ANOLA Sugar Wafers

Something different, something new. Crisp, chocolate-flavored confections with the most delicious creamy filling.



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COMPANY**

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Atlantic City**

**Special Through Train
without change of cars
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July 25; August 8 and 22
SPECIAL TRAIN LEAVES
Washington 6:40 A. M.
Tickets on sale Saturday preceding each excursion.

**\$2.50 Philadelphia
\$2.25 Chester
\$2.00 Wilmington**

**AND RETURN
SUNDAYS**
July 18; August 1, 15, 29;
Sept. 12, 26; Oct. 10 and 24.
SPECIAL TRAIN LEAVES
Washington 7:20 A. M.
Tickets on sale Saturday preceding each excursion.

**\$1.50 Baltimore
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SATURDAYS and SUNDAYS**

Tickets good on all trains except Congressional Limited and to return until 9:30 A. M. Monday.

Pennsylvania R. R.

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Wash Dresses
These Dresses
Were Made to
Sell at \$12.50.
Sale Price... **\$3.98**

—Three hundred high-grade Summer Dresses in a wide range of effective styles. In real Linen, Cotton Crepe, Lingerie, Nets, and Voiles. Don't miss this value. You won't get another one like it.

TAFFETA SILK SKIRTS \$5.98
Ideal for summer wear. A large number of smart models to choose from.

SPORT COATS \$5.98 and \$10
Decidedly smart looking and very serviceable. In Keyser silk, Jersey silk, and Corduroy. Big bargains.

to the U. S. S. Kentucky, carrying the naval battalions of Missouri, Wisconsin, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania. The huge ship, with guns fired incessantly, steamed up and down the range all day long.

The men of the District battalion, in the afternoon, could trace the vessel's course, from the decks of the Kearsarge, more than two miles away, by the flash of the guns.

In the afternoon the Kearsarge followed the Kentucky around the range, giving the crews a chance to practice by training the guns on the targets in preparation for the morrow.

Much historic interest attaches to the vessel on which the District men are stationed. It is named for the old vessel which sank the Confederate privateer, Alabama in the civil war, and in commemoration of that event the present vessel bears a plate above its sternmost quarter deck door, with the date inscribed.

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are uniformly fresh, uniformly good.

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Open Daily 8:15 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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8TH ST. AND PENNA. AVE.

Great Big Value in This Wednesday Sale
Women's and Misses' LINEN and PALM BEACH SUITS \$8.49
Worth Up to \$15, for Only.....

Smartest styles in best materials at this remarkably low price.

Suits that are cool and admirably adapted for summer wear in city, country, shore, or mountain.

The cleverest of recent fashion features are in evidence.

Plain tailored, new straight front effects, Norfolk and other mannish effects.

Select yours early tomorrow for best and most complete choice.

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Wash Skirts, fresh new lots of values to \$3.00 extra special Wednesday, Skirt Store, Bargain Table **\$1.98**

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Cool Comfort for Little Money in a
Sheer Lingerie Waist
At \$1.00

You will want, in fact you will need, during the sticky hot weather of July and August, plenty of fresh, dainty, cool-looking white waists. You can have plenty at this price.

They are exceptionally pretty, too. Made up in the most up-to-the-minute styles of

Embroidered or Plain Voiles.
Embroidered or Plain Organdies.
Novelty Voiles and Lawns.
Lace and embroidery trimmed models.
With high or low necks and long or short sleeves. All sizes to select from.

Bargain Table, Street Floor, and Waist Store, Second Floor.

Let That Extra Pair of Shoes You Need to Finish Out Your
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White Buckskin Pumps
Tomorrow You Can Get \$3.50
\$4 Kinds for **\$2.15 Pr.**

The very latest models, which are included at tomorrow's price.

The Fairmount & The Kewpie
Very smart and strictly up to the minute in style. All sizes to select from.

Shoe Store—Fourth Floor.

Hot Weather Melts
The Prices on
Cool Wash Fabrics

And you have tomorrow these money saving chances:

BEAUTY CREPES
DINETONE LACE VOILES
Regular 10c values, 27-inch materials, in pretty patterns and stripes, in pinks, blues, lavender, etc. Tomorrow, a yard **64c**

ENGLISH STRIPED CREPES
Fine Imported Goods
Regularly 25c, just half price tomorrow. In a great variety of striped designs from the very narrow to the very wide, one color or combinations of color on white ground. Tomorrow, a yard **12/2c**

Wash Goods Store and Bargain Table—Street Floor.

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SUMMER HOME DRAPERIES

Values to 39c yd. **16c**
Special, yd.

Lot consists of Plain Ecru or White Scrims, some with imitation Mexican drawn work; others with hemstitched borders.

Figured Scrims, with satin striped or plain centers; in pretty floral effects of yellow, rose, blue, and green.

Cool Washable Curtain or Drapery materials in many pretty designs and patterns too numerous to mention.

Values to 39c yd. **12/2c**
Special, yd.

Lot consists of Cottons, Linens, Taffetas, and Satens.

Values to 10c yd. **5c**
Special, yd.

Lot consists of Curtain Scrims, with pretty floral borders.

Values to 25c. **10c**
Special, yd.

Lot consists of Madras, Scrims, and Cottons.

Drapery Store—Third Floor.

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